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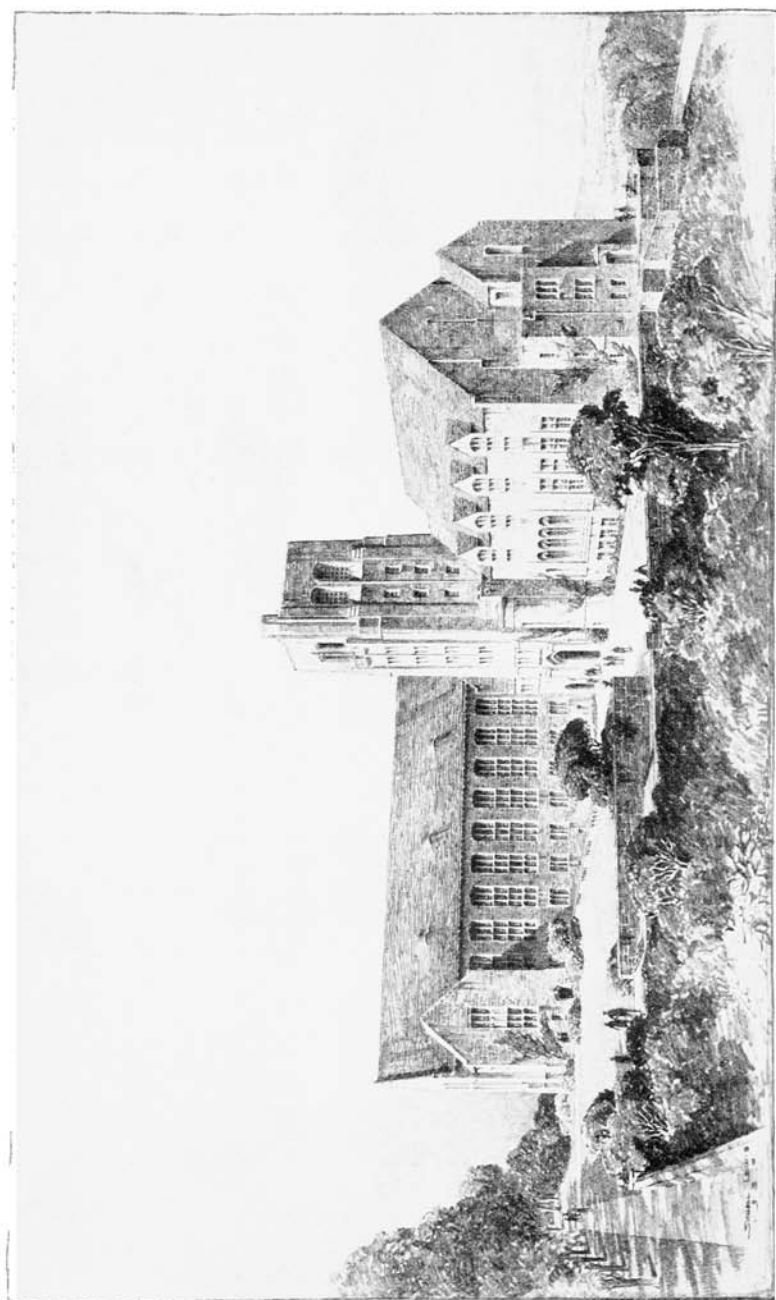
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MYRON TAYLOR HALL, THE NEW CORNELL LAW SCHOOL BUILDING

## Calendar of the Summer Session

1932

June 20, Monday,	Registration and assignment of students.
June 21, Tuesday,	Instruction begins at 8 A. M.
July 29, Friday,	} Examinations.
July 30, Saturday,	
August 1, Monday,	Registration and beginning of instruction in seminar on Remedies.
August 27, Saturday,	Instruction ends in seminar on Remedies.

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\*This list includes only those members of the law faculty who will be in residence during the summer session of 1932.

## SUMMER SESSION

Registration for the 1932 summer session will be on Monday, June 20. Instruction in the regular six weeks session will begin on Tuesday, June 21. At the close of this session, an informal study of the subject of Remedies will be offered during the four weeks from Monday, August 1, to Saturday, August 27. The courses given in the six weeks session will have substantially the same content as those given during the law school year.

Credit toward the degree of Bachelor of Laws may be earned in the summer session. The summer session enables students to take some courses which are not offered, or courses for which students are unable to find time, during the regular school year. Those who are unable to attend a law school at other seasons of the year can, by attending the summer session, obtain the advantages of systematic instruction in law.

The rules governing admission to the bar in the various states generally permit a part of the required law study to be done during the summer. Students should consult the rules of their own states on this point. In New York, not to exceed twelve weeks of law study each summer may be counted as part of the ninety-six weeks required of students in law schools.

## BUILDING AND LIBRARY

**Myron Taylor Hall.** In December, 1928, announcement was made of the gift by Myron C. Taylor, '94, of \$1,500,000, for a new building for the Law School. This building, to be known as Myron Taylor Hall, is now nearing completion. It is expected that it will be occupied before the opening of the 1932 summer session.

**Law Library.** The Library of the Law School numbers more than 70,000 volumes and about 6,000 pamphlets, and is growing rapidly. In reports of the American state and federal courts, in English,

Scotch, Irish, Canadian, Australian, and British colonial reports, and in the League of Nations publications, the law library is practically complete to date. The Earl J. Bennett Collection of Statute Law, provided for by the gift of Earl J. Bennett, '01, embraces about 4,800 volumes of the session laws of the states, and is of unusual fullness and value. The library also has an adequate collection of text books, and complete sets of all law periodicals in English, digests, annotations and law encyclopedias. The records and briefs in the Supreme Court of the United States and in the New York Court of Appeals are being currently added to the library.

**General Library.** The University Library, containing more than 800,000 volumes (exclusive of the Law Library), is accessible to law students.

## REGISTRATION

Applicants must first secure from the Secretary of the Law School permission to register. They will then register with the Registrar of the University, and return to the Secretary of the Law School for the purpose of selecting a course of study.

Students regularly admitted to the summer session of the Law School as candidates for a degree will receive credit toward the degree for the courses satisfactorily completed. All other students will be entitled to receive certificates stating the fact of attendance during the summer session, and the courses taken and completed.

Applicants who are registered in other schools in the Association of American Law Schools will be admitted to the summer session upon presentation of certificates stating that they are students in good standing in the schools they are attending, and their credits will be certified to those schools. Such students may not become candidates for a degree in the Cornell Law School without complying with the entrance requirements for first year students. Students who have complied with the entrance requirements for first year students, and have successfully completed courses in a law school of approved standing, may, in the discretion of the Faculty, be admitted to advanced standing upon such conditions as the Faculty may prescribe.

Applicants who are twenty-one years of age, but who have not complied with the entrance requirements for first year students, may, in exceptional cases, in the discretion of the Faculty, be admitted as special students not candidates for a degree.

Applicants should correspond with the Secretary of the Law School before presenting themselves in person.

## **TUITION AND EXPENSES**

The tuition fee for the six weeks summer session, June 20 to July 30, is \$70. The fee for the seminar course on Remedies, August 1 to August 27, is \$50. Tuition fees for the summer session are payable at the Treasurer's office within five days of the day of registration. Any tuition or other fee may be changed by the Board of Trustees to take effect at any time without previous notice.

The University has five residential halls for men students situated on the campus. These will be open to students in the summer session. For particulars, address the Manager of Residential Halls, Morrill Hall, Ithaca, N. Y. There are also many private boarding and lodging houses near the University Campus. In these, the cost of board and furnished rooms varies from \$10 to \$15 a week.

Inquiries about board and rooms for women students should be addressed to the Manager of Residential Halls, Morrill Hall, Ithaca, N. Y.

## COURSES OF INSTRUCTION

### JUNE 20 TO JULY 30

The following courses will be given either six or eight hours a week, as indicated. A student may not carry more than two courses, and may not, without special permission, register for more than fourteen hours a week.

**Evidence.** Professor WILSON. Wigmore's *Cases on Evidence* (2d ed.). Eight hours a week. Credit three hours.

This course includes in general all questions relating to evidence in both civil and criminal cases. It deals with judicial notice, presumptions, admissions, relevancy, and the rule against hearsay with its exceptions. It also covers opinion evidence, real evidence, documentary evidence, the best evidence rule, the parol evidence rule, and the examination of witnesses.

**Trusts.** Professor CHEATHAM. Scott, *Cases on Trusts* (2d ed.). Eight hours a week. Credit three hours.

The creation of a trust; the elements of a trust; resulting and constructive trusts; the administration of a trust; the transfer of the interest of the beneficiary; the persons who are bound by a trust; the nature of a trust.

**Sales.** Professor STEFFEN. Woodward's *Cases on Sales*. Eight hours a week. Credit three hours.

A study of various legal problems involved in the marketing of goods beginning with the simple sale of specific goods and continuing through problems of shipment, warehousing, distribution through dealers and financing. The casebook will be used principally for reference purposes as much of the class work will consist of a discussion of reports on specially assigned problems.

**Admiralty.** Professor ROBINSON. Lord and Sprague's *Cases on Admiralty*. Six hours a week. Credit two hours.

This course deals with the jurisdiction of the admiralty courts of the United States; with maritime liens, with the rights of maritime workers, with the carriage of goods by general and by chartered ships, and with the principles of liability and its limitation which are peculiar to the admiralty law. Salvage, general average and the principles governing collision will be covered in only a general way.



**Property II.** Professor FARNHAM. *Aigler's Cases on Titles*. Six hours a week. Credit two hours.

Adverse possession, prescription and accretion, covenants for title, estoppel by deed and priorities.

**Administrative Law.** Professor MACDONALD. *Freund's Cases on Administrative Law*. Six hours a week. Credit two hours.

A discussion of the law applicable to determinations involving private rights made by bodies other than the courts. This involves a study of the theory of the separation of powers, and of the functions of the three branches of government. The course centers upon the nature of the various powers over private rights granted to non-judicial bodies; the nature of the proceeding before such bodies; the manner of the determination of the issue, including executive discretion; and the nature of the control exercised by the courts over such determinations.

**The Administration of Insolvent Estates.** Professor BILLIG. *Billig & Carey's Cases on the Administration of Insolvent Estates* (mimeographed). Six hours a week. Credit two hours.

A comparative study of assignments for the benefit of creditors, equity receiverships (federal and state) and proceedings in bankruptcy as methods of administering insolvent estates.

## AUGUST 1 TO AUGUST 27

**Remedies: legal and equitable, contract and tort.** Professor WILSON, Professor STEVENS and Professor WHITESIDE.

This course will be open to a limited group of students. As a foundation for the effective choice of remedies, certain situations will be studied for the purpose of illustrating the manner in which the adoption of varying legal theories may affect recovery. Specific problems will be assigned. The individual study and group discussions will be under the direction successively of Professors Wilson, Stevens and Whiteside.

## THE REGULAR SESSION

Saturday, September 17, and Monday, September 19, are the days for registration for the regular session of the Law School for the year 1932-33. Instruction will begin Tuesday, September 20. An Announcement will be mailed upon application.

Applicants for admission as regular first year students are required to present evidence of the receipt of a bachelor's degree from an approved college or university; except that students in the College of Arts and Sciences of Cornell University are allowed in their senior year to elect the first year of the law course, and in this way to obtain the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws in six years.

Applicants are required to furnish the information called for on the application form which may be obtained from the Secretary. From the applicants fulfilling the scholastic requirements, a selection of those to be admitted will be made by the Faculty of the Law School.

The tuition fee for all law students is \$400 a year. A limited number of scholarships have been established to be awarded in the discretion of the Faculty. A loan fund has been created for the benefit of students to whom loans may be made on the recommendation of the Dean. A bureau is maintained to assist all students in the University in finding employment.

*For further information, address the Secretary of the Cornell Law School, Ithaca, N. Y.*



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This series of pamphlets is designed to give prospective students and other persons information about Cornell University. No charge is made for the pamphlet unless a price is indicated after its name in the list below. Requests for pamphlets should be addressed to the Secretary of the University at Ithaca. *Money orders should be made payable to CORNELL UNIVERSITY.*

The prospective student should have a copy of the  
*General Information Number*

and a copy of one or more of the following Announcements:

*Announcement of the College of Arts and Sciences.*

*Announcement of the College of Engineering.*

*Announcement of the Law School.*

*Announcement of the College of Architecture.*

*Announcement of the New York State College of Agriculture.*

*Announcement of the Two-Year Courses in Agriculture.*

*Announcement of the Winter Courses in the College of Agriculture.*

*Announcement of the Course in Hotel Administration.*

*Announcement of the New York State College of Home Economics.*

*Announcement of the New York State Veterinary College.*

*Announcement of the Graduate School of Education.*

*Announcement of the Department of Chemistry.*

*Announcement of the Graduate School.*

*Announcement of the Summer Session.*

*Announcement of the Summer Session of the Law School.*

*Announcement of the Summer School of Biology.*

*Announcement of the Farm Study Courses.*

*Program of the Annual Farm and Home Week.*

*Annual Report of the President.*

Special departmental announcements, a list of prizes, etc.

Other periodicals are these:

*The Register*, published annually in September, and containing, not announcements of courses, but a comprehensive record of the University's organization and work during the last year. Price 50 cents.

*Guide to the Campus*. A book of 132 pages, including 55 illustrations and a map in three colors. Price, 50 cents.

*Directory of the University*. Price, 10 cents.

The *Announcement of the Medical College* may be obtained by addressing the Cornell University Medical College, Ithaca, New York.

Correspondence regarding the Cornell University Official Publication should be addressed to

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ITHACA, NEW YORK.